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Applicants : Gregory Brown and Marcellino Tanumihardja
Application No. : 09/894,278
Filed : June 27, 2001
Title : MANAGED MESSAGING PLATFORM
Confirmation No. : 5239

Examiner : Liang-che Alex Wang
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Docket No. : 0805-003-003-SEED

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT BASED ON
FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.181(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to MPEP §711.03(c)(I)(A), Applicant Entity (hereinafter Applicant) hereby requests that the Notice of Abandonment of 31 January 2006 be withdrawn. Applicant makes this request because Applicant never received an Office Action allegedly sent by the USPTO on 27 May 2005.

I. Applicant hereby declares that Applicant never received the 27 May 2005 Office Action, and bases that declaration on at least the following:

A. According to the declaration of Susan Bollinger, Intake Manager of Berkeley Law and Technology Group, **Berkeley Law and Technology Group acquired a physical file, having Seed docket number 360044.403¹, from Seed Intellectual Group on or about 31 May 2005.** *See Susan Bollinger's Declaration* (attached), *Exhibit 1 highlighted line 3* (referring to a copy of an internal Inventory Log indicating when this file was received).

B. According to the declaration of Susan Bollinger, Intake Manager of Berkeley Law and Technology Group, **an inventory of the file associated with Seed docket number 360044.403, was conducted on or about 02 June 2005. At that time the file did not include the 27 May 2005 Office Action.** *See Susan Bollinger's Declaration* (attached), *Exhibits 2A² and 2B³*.

C. Subsequent to the undersigned's office receiving the file from Berkeley Law and Technology group, on or about 07 October 2005, our office took that material and created a new file, internal to our organization, and stamped that file with docket number 0805-003-003-SEED. *See Jennifer Badley's Declaration* (attached).

D. **A search of the file jacket and docketing record, for our internal docket number 0805-003-003-SEED, was conducted on 07 February 2006. At that time the 27 May 2005 Office Action was not present in the file.** *See Jennifer Badley's Declaration* (attached).

D. The undersigned's docket record for docket number 0805-003-003-SEED (copy attached) does not show an entry of the 27 May 2005 Office Action. **As proof of the foregoing a copy of the undersigned's docket**

¹ This file was eventually reassigned the docket number appearing in the caption of the instant Petition.

² (Exhibit 2A) a print screen of a Microsoft Word folder entitled "09-894278" of the scanned file contents, *(Note that Susan Bollinger declares that on the print screen the shown "Office Action form" does not refer to the Office Action mailed on 27 May 2005, but instead refers to the Restriction Requirement of 06 December 2004).*

³ (Exhibit 2B) an internal table entitled "Sienna Group Intake Report" with relevant lines 7 and 8 highlighted, which indicate the status of the file at the time it was inventoried.

record for docket number 0805-003-003-SEED, of 27 August 2005, which would include an entry for the three-month date for the response to the 27 May 2005 Office Action if it had in fact been received by Applicant, is attached. This is "a copy of the docket calendar showing all replies docketed for a date three months from the [alleged] mail date of the non received Office Action". See *Jennifer Badley's Declaration* (attached), *Exhibit 1A*.

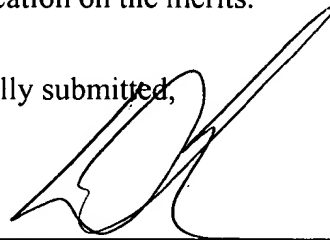
e. The undersigned's docket record for docket number 0805-003-003-SEED does not show an entry of the 27 May 2005 Office Action. As proof of the foregoing a copy of the file index for internal docket number 0805-003-003-SEED, which would include entries for the receipt of the 27 May 2005 Office Action and its 27 August 2005 due date, if the 27 May 2005 Office Action had been received, is also attached. See *Jennifer Badley's Declaration* (attached), *Exhibit 1B*.

SUMMARY

As referenced above, the undersigned has no record of receiving the Office Action dated 27 May 2005. Accordingly, Applicant submits that it never received the Office Action from the Patent Office and that no fee for this petition is necessary. See MPEP §711.03(c)(I). Applicant further requests that the USPTO Withdraw the Holding of Abandonment Based on Failure to Receive the Office Action and further requests a new Office Action for the subject application since the original was not received by the Applicant or its legal representative.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (425) 467-2260 with any issues that may advance prosecution of the application on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures:

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Supporting Documentation:

Susan Bollinger Declaration "Exhibit A"

With attached exhibits 1 and 2

Jennifer Badley Declaration "Exhibit B"

With attached exhibits 1 and 2

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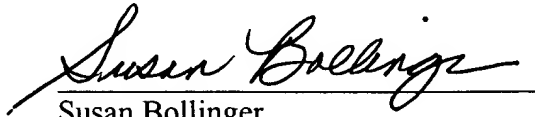
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DECLARATION OF SUSAN BOLLINGER

I, Susan Bollinger, Intake Manager for Berkeley Law and Technology Group, hereby attest that on or about 31 May 2005 the physical file for application number 09/894,278, having Seed docket number 360044.403, was received from Seed Intellectual Group. See herein attached as **Exhibit 1: Highlighted line 3 of internal inventory log "Sienna Group Inventory"**. I attest that on or about 02 June 2005 an inventory of the contents of the physical file for Seed docket number 360044.403 was conducted. See herein attached as **Exhibits 2A – 2B: (2A) A print screen of a Microsoft Word folder entitled "09-894278" of the scanned file contents. (Note that the "Office Action form" on the print screen does not refer to the Office Action mailed on 27 May 2005, but instead refers to the Restriction Requirement of 06 December 2004); (2B) Highlighted lines 7 and 8 of an internal table entitled "Sienna Group Intake Report"**. I further attest that on the basis of the foregoing and on my personal knowledge that the Office Action allegedly mailed on 27 May 2005 was not present in the file. The above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

DATED this 7th day of April, 2006.


Susan Bollinger
Intake Manager
Berkeley Law and Technology Group

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- Publish this folder to the Web

Other Places

- Gray Brown Acquired Assets
- My Documents
- My Computer
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EXHIBIT 2A

File No.	Rec'd	Patent No.	Shima Group	Country	Title	First Named Inventor	Patent Date	Appln No.	Appln Date	Priority Data	Publication Number and Date	Status	Expiration Date of Patent	Maintenance Fee	Continuity Data	Assignment Data	clean? - Y/N	Ben's? - Y/N	Inventor to Entity - list inventor name, address, realname, recordation date	Entity 1 - same for any subsequent transfers	Entity 2	Final Entity
380044.401	Yes	Provisional	US	US	Managed Messaging Platform System		06/28/2001	06/28/2001	06/28/2001	None	N/A	Active - Expired										
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380044.402	Yes	Pending	US	US	Wireless Device Detection		06/28/2001	06/28/2001	06/28/2001	06/28/2001	N/A	Waiting on additional filings								No info on PAIR		

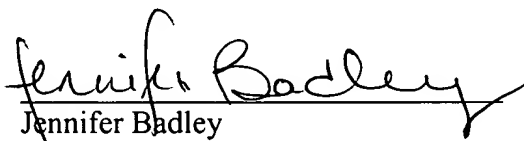




DECLARATION OF JENNIFER BADLEY

I, Jennifer Badley, hereby attest that on or about 07 October 2005, a new file, internal to our organization, was created and stamped with the docket number 0803-003-003-SEED, from the material of the file associated with Seed docket number 360044.403. I further attest that on 7 February 2006, I conducted a search of the file jacket and docketing record for application number 09/894,278, having internal docket number 0805-003-003-SEED and confirmed that the 27 May 2005 Office Action was not received. **See attached herein, as Exhibit 1A, a true and correct copy of the docket record of 27 August 2005, which would include an entry for the three-month due date for the response to the Office Action if it had in fact been received; and Exhibit 1B, a true and correct copy of the file index for docket number 0805-003-003-SEED, which would include entries for the receipt of the 27 May 2005 Office Action and its 27 August 2005 due date, if the Office Action had been received.** I further attest that on the basis of the foregoing and on my personal knowledge that the Office Action allegedly mailed on 27 May 2005 was not present in the file. The above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

DATED this 7th day of April, 2006.


Jennifer Badley

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EXHIBIT B

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8⁰⁰ 0404-003-028-000000 Auto Purge of Serial Use Devices - 60 days to DDL to file foreigners (US filed on 10/26/04)

0404-003-009B-000000 Enhanced User Assistance - 60 days to DDL to file foreigners (US filed on 10/26/04)

9⁰⁰ 0404-003-009A-000000 Enhanced User Assistance - 60 days to DDL to file foreigners (US filed on 10/26/04)

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Exhibit 1A

USPTO FILE INDEX:



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 Date Filed: June 27, 2001
 TITLE: MANAGED MESSAGING PLATFORM
 Inventors: Gregory Brown and Marcellino Tanumihardja
 USAN: 09/894,278
 Examiner: Liang Che A. Wang Telephone: (#)
 Art Unit: 2155 Confirmation #: 5239
 File History: Provisional App. 60/282,381 filed on April 5, 2001
 Assignment Recorded on: June 27, 2001 at Reel 011946, Frame 0546 to Freerein Corporation
 April 22, 2005 at Reel 015937, Frame 0330 to Gregory Brown

Tab	Documents	Mailed from USPTO	Date Due to USPTO	Date Sent to USPTO
1.	Utility Application (71 pages); 42 sheets of drawings (35 Figures); w/Dec., POA, and Assignment; Request NOT to publish			06/27/01
2.	Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (Drawings)	08/17/01	10/17/01	
3.	Filing Receipt (Correct)	08/17/01		
4.	Response to Notice to File Correct Application Papers; Substitute Drawings; and Request for Drawing Change			08/31/01
5.	IDS; PTO-1449; 3 cited references			09/19/01
6.	Notice of Recordation of Assignment; PTO-1595; and Assignment	09/12/01		
7.	Updated Filing Receipt	10/11/01		
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